

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

3 ERIC FLORES,

4 Plaintiff,

5 v.

6 NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF  
7 CORRECTIONS, et al.,

8 Defendants.

Case No. 2:20-cv-00693-RFB-EJY

**ORDER**

9 **I. DISCUSSION**

10 This action began with a pro se civil rights complaint filed pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983  
11 by a state prisoner. ECF No. 1-1. Plaintiff later filed an unsigned first amended complaint. ECF  
12 No. 4-1. On March 30, 2021, the Court issued an order explaining to Plaintiff that he must  
13 personally sign every pleading he files, including a complaint. ECF No. 7. The Court explained  
14 that it could not consider Plaintiff's unsigned first amended complaint, and the Court gave Plaintiff  
15 leave to file a complete, signed, second amended complaint by April 29, 2021. *Id.*

16 On April 28, 2021, Plaintiff filed three documents including (1) a Motion for Transcript  
17 that requests a copy of his first amended complaint (ECF No. 8), (2) an incomplete [Second]  
18 Amended Complaint (ECF No. 9) that only includes the title page, and (3) a Motion for Extension  
19 of Time "due to unforeseen variables." ECF No. 10. As the Court explained in its previous order,  
20 an amended complaint must be complete in itself, and it must include all claims, defendants, and  
21 factual allegations that Plaintiff wishes to pursue in this lawsuit. ECF No. 7 at 1-2. Plaintiff's  
22 [Second] Amended Complaint fails to assert any claims. The Court finds this document cannot be  
23 considered as filed.

24 The Court grants Plaintiff's Motion for Transcript that seeks a courtesy copy of Plaintiff's  
25 amended complaint and Plaintiff's Motion for Extension of Time. ECF Nos. 8 and 10. If Plaintiff  
26 wants to proceed with this action, he must file a third amended complaint on or before June 15,  
27 2021. The third amended complaint must be complete (include all causes of action identified  
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1 against specific defendants with facts supporting the legal claims) and it must be signed. If a third  
2 amended complaint is not filed by or before June 15, 2021, the Court will screen Plaintiff's original  
3 complaint only.

4 **II. CONCLUSION**

5 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Transcript (seeking a courtesy copy  
6 of his amended complaint) is GRANTED.

7 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall send Plaintiff a courtesy  
8 copy of his amended complaint (ECF No. 4-1).

9 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Extension of Time (ECF No. 10)  
10 is GRANTED. Plaintiff shall file a third amended complaint on or before June 15, 2021.

11 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Court cannot consider Plaintiff's single page [Second]  
12 Amended Complaint. ECF No. 9.

13 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if Plaintiff fails to file a complete, signed, third amended  
14 complaint on or before June 15, 2021, the Court will screen Plaintiff's initial complaint only.

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16 DATED this 17th day of May 2021.

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18 ELAYNA J. YOUCHAK  
19 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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